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STANDARD CHARACTERS	YES
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To the Commissioner for Trademarks:

Application serial no. **86744925** HEALTHEVOICES(Standard Characters, see http://tmng-al.uspto.gov/resting2/api/img/86744925/large) has been amended as follows:

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Evidence in the nature of a Response to Final Office Action and Associate Power of Attorney has been attached.

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Signatory's Position: Attorney of record, Illinois bar member

Signatory's Phone Number: 312-569-1459

The signatory has confirmed that he/she is an attorney who is a member in good standing of the bar of the highest court of a U.S. state, which includes the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, and other federal territories and possessions; and he/she is currently the owner's/holder's attorney or an associate thereof; and to the best of his/her knowledge, if prior to his/her appointment another U.S. attorney or a Canadian attorney/agent not currently associated with his/her company/firm previously represented the owner/holder in this matter: (1) the owner/holder has filed or is concurrently filing a signed revocation of or substitute power of attorney with the USPTO; (2) the USPTO has granted the request of the prior representative to withdraw; (3) the owner/holder has filed a power of attorney appointing him/her in this matter; or (4) the owner's/holder's appointed U.S. attorney or Canadian attorney/agent has filed a power of attorney appointing him/her as an associate attorney in this matter.

The applicant is filing a Notice of Appeal in conjunction with this Request for Reconsideration.

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

TRADEMARK:

HEALTHEVOICES

APPLICANT:

Johnson & Johnson

SERIAL NO.:

86/744925

EXAM. ATTORNEY:

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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

In the Final Office Action issued on March 21, 2016, the Examining Attorney requested that Applicant provide further specificity regarding the identification of services currently listed in Class 45, and made the requirement final. The description of services in Class 45 currently reads: "Providing a website featuring information in the field of online patient and healthcare advocacy; providing information in the field of online patient and healthcare advocacy."

Here, Applicant believes that the above description of services as written is acceptable and is properly classified in Class 45 for several reasons. First, Applicant owns a corresponding trademark application for HEALTHEVOICES with a design, and that application lists Class 45 services identical to those listed above. Moreover, the subject matter of the information services provided by Applicant – healthcare advocacy consulting – is classified in Class 45.

Consistency In Marks:

The current Class 45 identification of services is properly listed in Class 45 and should not require further amendment. Applicant already holds an allowed trademark application for the design mark that corresponds to the subject word mark which contains this exact identification of services. For reference, Applicant is the owner of Application Serial No. 86/922567, for the mark HEALTHEVOICES and Design. This mark was published on May 24, 2016, and a notice of allowance issued for this application on July 19, 2016. The

HEALTHEVOICES and Design mark covers goods and services in Classes 16, 41, and 45, and the Class 45 services were approved for the following services: "Providing a website featuring information in the field of online patient and healthcare advocacy; providing information in the field of online patient and healthcare advocacy." Applicant's use of these corresponding marks is identical as they are part of the same overall program; therefore, it follows that the goods and services in the applications should reflect that identical use with identical descriptions.

Information Services Subject Matter:

In addition to ensuring consistency within Applicant's HEALTHEVOICES marks, Applicant also considers Class 45 to be the proper classification for its services, since "information services" are to be classified according to the subject matter of the information. See T.M.E.P. Section 1402.11(b). In this case, the subject matter of Applicant's information services is healthcare advocacy consulting services. A search of the ID Manual and existing registrations for "healthcare advocacy consulting services" places such services in Class 45. For example, both Reg. No. 4910275 for MOBILE CARE COORDINATOR and Reg. No. 4583045 for GUARDIAN NURSES are registered in Class 45 for "healthcare advocacy consulting services." Therefore, Class 45 is the proper classification.

In view of the foregoing, Applicant believes that no amendment to the Class 45 description of services is necessary in this application, and that these services are properly classified in Class 45. Applicant respectfully requests that the mark be approved for publication.

Respectfully submitted,

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Respectfully submitted, JOHNSON & JOHNSON

Cheryl Foytlin Assistant Secretary

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